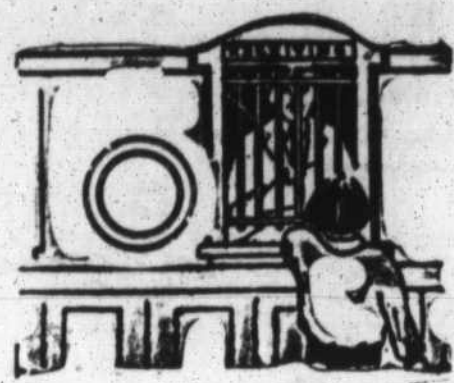


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MARLINTON, WEST VIRGINIA

#### LOCAL MENTION.

C. J. Ramsey is spending a few days in Marlinton.

Dr. O. H. Kae is recovering from an attack of fever.

Mrs. Urah Hevener is desperately ill at the Ronceverte Hospital.

Miss Mary Margaret Price has returned from a trip to California.

Rev. Fred Gray was here from Cass Tuesday as a member of the special grand jury.

Miss Virgie Sydenstricker, of Richmond, is at the home of her brother, J. A. Sydenstricker.

Charles A. Sharp has been elected secretary of Marlinton Camp, Modern Woodmen of America.

Elmer Duncanson was down from Spruce on Tuesday, serving on the special grand jury.

F. M. Snyder left last Wednesday for a ten day's trip to Tampa and other Florida points.

Burton Wilson caught a twenty inch bass at the Klunson Curve, below Seebert, last Thursday.

Work is fast progressing on George Lightner's brick and tile building at the east end of the County Bridge.

Fred Collins, of the 28th Infantry, United States Army, stationed at Buffalo, N. Y., is here on a furlough.

Mrs. James Ryder went to Baltimore Hospital Thursday accompanied by E. A. Hudson and daughter Miss Gladys.

Norman McHenry has moved into the Oakes property, on Lower Camden Avenue, which he has recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor, of Pullman, Washington, are on their way east to spend some months in their native county of Pocahontas.

Dr. E. R. McIntosh, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist will be at the Marlinton Hospital the first three days of the month hereafter instead of the first five.

E. G. Wagner, of Cumberland, is in Pocahontas this week as representative of the Klosterman Yeast Company. He is accompanied by Mrs. Wagner.

On Friday, October 23, at Charleston, will be staged the biggest Modern Woodmen Meeting ever held in West Virginia, or most any where else. The principal address will be made by Hon. E. R. Korman, of Des Moines, Iowa. Hon. A. A. Lilly will speak. There will be a great musical program. Everything will be free. Any Woodman from Pocahontas desiring to go will communicate with F. D. Malcomb, special District Deputy, at Marlinton, who will secure him an admission card. Arrangements are being made for a crowd of five thousand Woodman. R. L. Keadle, President of the National District Deputies Association, is the master of ceremonies at this big Woodman meeting.

Among the buildings in course of erection in Marlinton are the residences of F. P. Anderson, Mrs. W. W. Camden and Wilbur Gum, and the business house of George Lightner.

Andy Rose tells us that there is a white fox in the Buckley Mountain. He has seen him a number of times this summer. He is a grey fox but unusually light in color. A number of hound owners have this fox spotted and they hope to take him alive as soon as the chasing season comes in.

Died, James, the little son of Mr. Mrs. Isaac Withers, aged two years October 1, 1925. The little boy had been sick since June. Burial at the Mt. View Cemetery Friday afternoon.

#### CHURCH NOTES

##### MARLINTON METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. S. R. Neal, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
A. S. Overholt, Supt.  
6:00 Junior Epworth League  
6:45 p. m. Epworth League  
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. & 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer and praise service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

##### MARLINTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Harvey H. Orr, Pastor.  
Bible School 9:45  
4:30 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor  
6:45 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor  
11:00 a. m. Communion Service.  
7:30 p. m. Preaching Service.

Sunday School attendance at the Methodist Church last Sunday, 300; at the Presbyterian 190.

Rally Day in the Methodist Sunday School is continued indefinitely. Everybody come.

Dr. J. E. Flow, Evangelist, for Greenbrier Presbytery will begin a series of services at the lower church on Swago the third Sunday of October, the 18th, and at Beard early in November.

Dr. J. D. Flow is holding a series of meetings at the Linwood church to continue until Sunday night. Large crowds are attending and much interest is being shown in the services. Dr. Flow preached at Slaty Fork school house last Sunday afternoon, and he will preach there again next Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Greenbrier Presbytery meets in adjourned session at Ronceverte Tuesday October 13. At that time Rev. Mr. Newton will be licensed and ordained as a minister. Mr. Newton will be remembered by people in Pocahontas, as he preached at Buckeye last summer. He will serve a field in Greenbrier County.

A revival meeting will begin at the Methodist church at Dunmore, Monday, October 12th. Rev. W. O. Luttrell of Peterstown, W. Va., will do the preaching. Brother Luttrell has had experience in evangelistic work. Recently he has conducted some very successful meetings. All the people of the Dunmore community and the adjacent communities are cordially invited to attend these services and to assist in the meeting. The services will begin each evening at 7:30 o'clock. Further announcements will be made at the opening service Monday night, October 12.

Some weeks ago John Moore got to missing chickens so he set a trap in the hope that he would catch the thief. One morning he found the trap gone. The dog was called to trail up the trap, but no track could be picked up. After the trap was taken it was noticed that the big owl that had been hunting around the mountain of nights was silent. Several days went by and Mr. Moore happened to go by the place where the trap had been set. A big horned owl flew up with the trap on his leg. He lit in a nearby tree and was shot. It was one of the largest of its kind, with a wing measurement that was just a few inches short of five feet.

Next Friday and Saturday the Teachers Round Table for the Greenbrier Valley meets in Marlinton. It is made up of the teachers of the counties of Greenbrier, Monroe and Pocahontas. Prof. G. D. McNeill is the president. There will be upwards of three hundred teachers in attendance. The sessions will be held in the Methodist church. Prof. Shawkey, president of Marshall College, and Prof. Roberts, of the University, are on the program for addresses. The sessions are open to the public, and it is hoped that the people will attend in large numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dea will be at Clark's Hotel October 12, 13 and 14, showing a line of Fall and Winter coats and dresses. They will save you money on every garment. Measurements taken to insure perfect fit. adv.

There will be a pie and ice cream supper at the Poage Lane School house, Saturday night, October 17. Proceeds for the school. Everyone come.

Ethel Grace Hannah, Teacher.

There will be an ice cream and pie supper at the Cummings Creek School house, Saturday evening October 17, at 8 o'clock. Ladies Aid.

#### THE NEW BANK

The Farmers & Merchants Bank opened their doors for business Monday morning in the Marl-Sewell Hotel building on Main Street. There is delay in getting some of the furniture, but the vault, safe and other necessary equipment is in and the new Bank is doing business.

As an opening attraction on Monday morning there was a drawing for gold pieces. Numbers corresponding to names in the registration book at the Bank's booth at the County Fair were put in a sack. The first number drawn was 49, belonging to R. W. Hill, of Charleston, a former sheriff of Pocahontas County; the next was 618, belonging to Fannie Moore, of Durbin, and the third number was 1170, and it belonged to S. I. Barlow, of Huntersville.

The cashier of the new Bank is Harry L. Byers, who for a number of years was with the First National Bank of Marlinton. His bookkeeper is Tom Yeager, son of Dr. J. M. Yeager, of Marlinton.

The officers of the new Bank are E. P. Shaffer, president; D. W. Dever, vice president. The directors are L. D. Sharp, E. H. Williams, Judge S. H. Sharp, H. Kalmenson, S. I. Barlow, C. J. Richardson, F. M. Sydnor.

#### CIRCUIT COURT

October term of the Circuit Court convened on Tuesday morning. Judge Summers H. Sharp, presiding.

A grand jury was empaneled with E. A. Friel as foreman, W. J. Yeager, Robert Gibson, Gilbert Sharp, Fred Gray, G. D. Duncanson, S. J. Bertrude, N. W. Clark, H. H. Gimes, Eustace Brindle, Hevener Dilley, Wilson Hill, W. H. Gross, A. C. Pifer, Elmer Sharp, and H. W. Harper. This grand jury returned two felony indictments.

Joe Collins, Maude Collins and Irene Buzzard were indicted jointly for murder, on account of the death of Mrs. Lou Collins at Cloverlick last week. The trial of these persons has been set for next Wednesday, October 14.

State Road Commission v William M. Sharp, damages for right of way \$2250.

State Road Commission v A. R. Gay, damages for right of way \$2,000.

State Road Commission v Mrs. Maggie Sharp, et als, damages for right of way \$4750.

First National v M. C. Carter and others, judgments for—plaintiff \$410 and \$356.40.

Fred Gwin v R. W. Brown & Co., judgment for plaintiff \$1553.

Trustees of Minnehaha Springs Methodist church petition for the sale of certain property.

State v Wash Williamson nolle prosequi.

State v C. E. Godfrey confessed 2 years in penitentiary for forger.

State v Gilbert Dilley indictment quashed.

State v Carl Guthrie, Kenneth Totten and Chalmers Shrader put on probation.

Jury cases have been set as late as next Wednesday.

There will be a box and pie supper at the Crooked Fork school house, Saturday, Oct. 17. Beginning at 8 o'clock p. m. Proceeds for this school books and etc. Everybody welcome. Grace Shearer, teacher.

#### Administrator's Sale

As administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Neolla B. Dilley, I will sell at public auction at Cloverlick, W. Va., on Friday October 17, 1925, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m. the following property:

1 grey colt, two years old.  
A number one milk cow, 5 yrs old.  
Terms: Four months time with interest, note and approved security.  
Arch Dilley, Adm'r.

#### STRAYED OR STOLEN

From farm near Linwood, twelve sheep consisting of ewes, lambs and one yearling ram. All were branded on both sides with blue paint. Letter "S" made backwards. They had the following ear marks: crop-off of each ear, not very deep, a carpenter square off right ear and had ear labels bearing my name. The ram's tail is about four inches long.

Any information as to their whereabouts will be highly appreciated, and will give a reward of \$50.00 for evidence leading to the conviction of anyone stealing my sheep.  
Ivan L. Sharp  
Edray, W. Va.

#### E. D. H. S. NEWS

E. D. H. S. greeted 173 pupils: 32 Seniors, 31 Juniors, 42 Sophomores and 68 Freshmen.

On Tuesday night September 29, the Freshmen were highly entertained by their upper classmen. To their great surprise, they were blindfolded in the Domestic Arts room and led through a series of stunts from the basement to the auditorium from where they were transferred to the Domestic Department and presented with a tooth-pick and marshmallows. After much disappointment and nervousness they were called back to the auditorium where they joyfully accepted the sandwiches and ooca colas. The new members of the faculty were included in the initiation, thus the affair was unusually interesting.

The ball game between Marlinton and Hillsboro came out very satisfactorily, the score being 13 to 12 in favor of Marlinton. Both teams showed that they knew their "onions".

On Wednesday, September 30, Prof. G. D. McNeill entertained our third chapel assembly with one of his famous sea-stories and Buster Smith finished the program by drilling us in some of our most famous yell.

The birthday of James Whitcomb Riley is being observed by readings and poems in all English classes, Wednesday, October 7th.

Renick will play Marlinton, Saturday, October 10. Owing to the rivalry of both teams, the game promises to be one of unusual interest.

Norman Price, Jr., an alumnus of the E. D. H. S., has returned from Morgantown.

Miss Ault was stricken last Wednesday afternoon with sudden illness which compelled her to be absent for the first time during her teaching in the E. D. H. S.

Monday afternoon during physics class Mr. Travis cut his finger severely while working with an experiment. He was at once directed to a physician.

Ruby and Goldie Hannah were absent from school last Tuesday on account of the death of their little nephew, Jesse Hannah, Jr.

Our dressy senior, Roland Sharp, is collecting jokes for the Annual, so if you want to see some real jokes buy an annual.

The Celebrity contest is now going on; you can easily tell who the candidates are if you notice the winning smiles and angelic actions, also the attempts to make themselves beautiful, but all in vain.

The civics class organized itself into a community called Edville, named for the members from the two districts, Huntersville and Edray. Officers of the community are: Mayor, Roland Sharp; Councilmen, Carlisle Wade, Florence Price, Lacy Humphreys; town sergeant, Lewis Gay; chief of police, Robert Barlow; recorder, Reta Rexrode; Slogan: B. Y's. The community had for their first problem.

"How is Home Life the greatest factor in making American citizens, and in what ways does it fall in its responsibilities?"

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Sheriff of Pocahontas County will attend in person or by deputy at the following time and place for the purpose of collecting taxes:

**GREENBANK DISTRICT**  
Thornwood.....Nov 9, in morning  
Bartow.....Nov 9, in afternoon  
Durbin.....Nov 10  
Hosherman.....Nov 11, in morning  
Nottingham.....Nov 11, in afternoon  
Cass.....Nov 12 and 13  
Spruce.....Nov 14, in morning  
Raywood.....Nov 14, in afternoon  
Boyer.....Nov 16  
Arbovale.....Nov 17  
Greenbank.....Nov 18  
Dunmore.....Nov 19, 20 a. m.

**EDRAY DISTRICT**  
Stony Bottom.....Nov 10 in afternoon  
Cloverlick.....Nov 11, in afternoon  
Onoto.....Nov 14, until 3 p. m.  
Mace.....Nov 5, in morning  
Brady.....Nov 5, in afternoon  
Livewood.....Nov 6, in morning  
Slatyfork Com.....Nov 6 p. m. Nov 7 am  
Elk, Robt Gibson Nov 7 in afternoon  
Edray.....Nov 13  
Buckeye.....Nov 23, 24 and 25  
Marlinton.....Nov 23, 24 and 25

**HUNTERSVILLE DISTRICT**  
Minnehaha Springs.....Nov 18 morning  
Frost.....Nov 17  
Huntersville.....Nov 18 afternoon  
Clawson.....Nov 19

**LITTLE LEVELS DISTRICT**  
Droop Mt. Wallace Kershner, Nov 5  
Locust.....Nov 6, in morning  
Beard.....Nov 6, afternoon  
Seebert.....Nov 7  
Millpoint.....Nov 9  
Hillsboro.....Nov 10  
Lobelia.....Nov 11  
Jacix.....Nov 12

With the exception of dates listed above, books will be found at the following places—  
Greenbank, J. C. Wooddell's, Greenbank  
Edray, in Office, Marlinton  
Huntersville, W. H. Barlow's, Huntersville  
Little Levels, T. A. Bruffley's, Hillsboro

A discount of 2 1/2 percent will be made to all persons who pay their taxes on or before the 30th day of November, 1925. Interest at the rate of 10 percent per annum on the amount of each tax bill will be added thereto from the first day of January, 1926, until payment.

W. H. BARLOW, S. P. C.

## SPECIAL SALE OF

### Men's Suits and Overcoats Boys' Suits and Sweaters School Shoes, Stockings Rubbers and Overshoes.

We do not wait until the season is over and then make special prices to induce you to buy that which you will not need. It is our policy to serve you with whatever you want when you want it and at the very best price possible.

### The Peoples Store & Supply Co.

Marlinton, West Virginia

## It will be here next week

The greatest picture of all times

# "The Ten Commandments"

With a great all-star cast, including Richard Dix, Leatrice Joy, Theodore Roberts, Estelle Taylor, Rod LaRocque, Nita Nald, Agnes Ayers, Julian Faye and others.

A DeMille Masterpiece Paramount Picture. The greatest Dramatic Masterpiece of all times.

## Seneca Theatre

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday  
October 14, 15 and 16

Two shows Wednesday night, 7 and 9-15 o'clock  
Thurs and Friday, one show each night at 8 p. m.  
Admission 25c and 50c

Matinee, Wed. at 3 p. m. Admission 15c and 35c

## Cass Theatre, October 12 and 13

MONDAY and TUESDAY

## SCHUCHAT'S DEPARTMENT STORE

### Arriving Daily

Ready-to-Wear, in the latest materials for Ladies, Misses and Children.

Ladies Coats, fur trimmed, in the finest Needle Point and high grade Bolivia in the newest shades

Misses fur trimmed and sport model cloth coats in the the various new shades, such as pansy, pencil blue, cardinal red, etc.

Reasonably priced. All sizes.

## Dresses

Just received, a new shipment of new Balbriggan, Jersey and Silk Dresses, in all the new shades. All sizes. Priced low

\$5.50 - \$9.95 - 18.50

Come Early and get your selection

## SCHUCHAT'S DEPARTMENT STORE

Outfitters for the Family

Marlinton, West Virginia

#### BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Alderman, Huntersville, Sept. 25, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Galford, at Woodrow, Oct. 1, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Clawson Beverage at Onoto, Oct. 2, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ginger, Marlinton, Oct. 6, a daughter.

Died, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simmons, of Marlinton, Oct. 4.

Influenza is reported an epidemic in some parts of the state. Several cases have appeared in Marlinton and Pocahontas county.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Clutter a daughter.

Report of Buckeyes graded school, first month. Primary room, Goldie McNeill, teacher. Perfect attendance—Randolph and Jesse Bostic, Paul Duncan, Jay B. Graham, James and William Miller, Harold Thomas, Martha Bostic, Gladys Barnes, Mary E. Graham, Madaline McNeill, Sarah Ray. Faithful attendance—Jimmy Howard, Everette Young, Otis Lester, Guy Wanless, Mae Miller, Helen Young, and Gladys Thomas. Upper room, G. Winters Hill, teacher. Perfect attendance—Glenn Duncan, Bernard Hinkle, Ross Miller, Beatrice Howard, Ida and Lou Morrison, Bernice Miller, Audrey Rucker. Faithful attendance—Glen Rucker, Paul and Stewart Welford, Pearl Auldridge, Jane Kennison, Lottie Taylor and Ruth Hinkle.

It is unnecessary for you to call in person in order to open an account with us. We invite you to bank with us by mail, and your business will receive the same careful attention as if presented in person.

Large enough to serve you  
Strong enough to protect you  
Small enough to know.

## Farmers & Merchants Bank

MARLINTON, W. VA.

## Auction Sale

Monday, October 1, at 12 o'clock p. m. near the Goodsell Garage at Durbin, I will offer the following household furniture.

- 1 range stove, 1 kitchen cabinet, 1 dining table, 6 dining chairs, 1 refrigerator, 1 Damascus sewing machine, 1 Auto knitter machine, 6 piece mission set, 3 rugs, 1avenport 1 rocker, 1 parlor table, 1 dresser, 1 Davis Victoria, 4 bed, 2 Oilier oil gas stoves, 2 screen doors, 1 porch swing.

FRANK FRANCELLO  
J. F. Ashford, Auctioneer.